

96 YEARS OF GDD FELLOWSHIP

Local Lodges Observe Anniversary of Founding of Order

History Reviewed by the Rev. J. Brinker Who Looks for Rapid Growth and Increasing Power for Good.

Hurlington Odd Fellows held exercises Sunday afternoon at the hall of order in commemoration of the anniversary of Odd Fellowship America. The local lodges were well represented and there was a large number of visitors. The address of the day was made by the Rev. J. S. Braker, who spoke of the history of the order, growth in this country and its influence.

as a moral force. The order of exercises included a reading of the scripture, prayer by the Rev. Charles V. Gris, soprano solo by Mrs. Mamie Ho Davis, duet by Mrs. Volgers and Currier, selections by an orchestra, the singing of one verse of "Amen" by the audience.

The Rev. Mr. Braker, in the course of his address spoke briefly of the life of Odd Fellowship in this country.

order having begun its existence in the more April 20, 1919. Since that time it sustained a remarkable growth and spread throughout the country. Rebekah lodges were begun in 1951, later the Patriarchs Militant were instituted. The Odd Fellows now number over 2,000,000, and with every promise a greater increase in the coming decades than in the last two. The speaker marked that although those who are

imposed that although those who by the order did so with regard to the of fraternity and the upbuilding of character, the truths which are inculcated in the ritual are eternal and redemptive teachings of that universal brother mankind, Jesus Christ. He spoke of value of love, friendship and sympathy and remarked in that connection that

fraternities in sympathy for the w of the Civil War as well as for the victims gained in growth after struggle, and the same will undoubtedly be true after the present conflict in rope is over.

Mr. Braker said that he did not be the true spirit of fraternity could b

closed within the four rooms of a
as the appeal of the tenets is univer-
Whenever of love, friendship and fidelity
the lodges may stand for it, it
be also a moral and noble force.
speaker suggested in this connection
the order of Odd Fellowship, standing
all that is good and beautiful, should
be opposed to that which is the
contrary, and he hoped that he might
the order lined up against the
evil of interference in the struggle
is now taking place in this country.
said, in speaking of the fact that this
celebration of the 50th anniversary
at hand, that it might be dangerous

ledge to grow old, as those precept truths which were the reason for being in the beginning might be gotten. He commended the spirit fellowship that existed between the lodges. In the future, he concluded the members of the order would harder to make the fraternity a force for unity, strength and fellowship which will be manifested when the tenary of the order is celebrated years hence.

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